

The Intelligence.

SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 25.

SEVERE ACCIDENT—A MAN PERHAPS FATALY INJURED.—Yesterday afternoon Mr. James Wilson, living over the creek, was very badly, perhaps fatally injured, at Messrs. Warren & Bergers oil refinery, in this city. About four o'clock he was set to work to clean out one of the large stills in the refinery, and in order to do so he entered it, in doing which he was cautioned not to use fire in the work. It seems that as soon as he reached the bottom of the still he lit a match, and instantly an explosion of the gas accumulated therein took place, causing a loud noise. As soon as the accident occurred Wilson was taken out, and found to be most terribly mangled—his nails torn off, his hair burnt, his scalp and skin in many places peeled off in great pieces. Dr. Hupp was called in, and it was said that he was supplied to relieve the victim's sufferings, but he was said to be intense. Not much hope is entertained of Mr. Wilson's recovery. He has a wife and a number of children, who are dependent on him for support. He was a hard working man, and the accident to him is deeply to be regretted.

ROBBERY.—Yesterday morning about two o'clock some thieves unknown made a bold attempt to rob the store of Mr. John Maxwell, on Centre street, East Wheeling. The thieves succeeded in effecting an entrance into the store, and while working, who raised the alarm, and caused the store to decamp. The only booty they secured was a coat and a market basket, filled. The latter they left in the yard in their escape.

THESE ROBBERIES, and attempts at robbery are becoming very common in our city lately.

OUR PAPER AND THE OFFICIALS.—It will be remembered that on Monday last we published a list of the names of persons against whom indictments had been found by the U. S. grand jury in session here last week. We have since learned that it was not the desire of the officials that this should be published, and we are glad to hear that some of the parties indicted must take advantage of the notice, and "make themselves scarce."

THE RESULT OF THE PUBLICATION of this list, it is said, was that Mr. Marshall, early this week had to bestir himself and arrest the accused. We are pleased to learn that he found them all safe, and his increased activity may have secured a subject or two.

SHARPER.—As may have been observed from police reports recently a large number of the cases disposed of were those of parties arraigned for the practice of "sharp" tricks. In view of this fact it becomes our citizens generally, and our business men particularly, to be on their guard in their dealings with strangers, and to be especially on their guard in their dealings with those who are resorted to by these sharper to gull the unsuspecting. Tricks that startle the mind, and which are, in fact, and do credit to the ingenuity of the inventor, are practiced almost daily.

MARKET YESTERDAY EVENING.—The market yesterday evening was well attended, especially by purchasers. The novelty of the thing having worn off, those who have no business there are becoming scarce. Beef was worth 12 1/2 cts; Pork, 12 1/2 cts; Butter, 40 cts; Chicken, 15 cts; Eggs, 10 cts; Potatoes, 10 cts; Irish, 40 cts; Cabbage, 10 cts; Turnips, 40 cts; Sweet Potatoes, 10 cts.

CONSUMERS JUSTLY COMPLAIN of the complaint of the citizens of this city, and it is said that it can be bought in the surrounding country at 13 1/2 cts. In fact, it is true, and there are here charging too much of a profit.

RIVER NEWS.—The river was slowly rising yesterday, with about five feet of water in the channel.

THE RECENT AND EDDYBURY left for Cincinnati, with a good trip each as they could carry with the amount of water in the channel.

THE NORA passed up, and the *Redwood* will not be in leave on her time for Cincinnati. She has been sold for the lower trade, and we may not expect her back here soon again.

THE REGULAR packets made usual trips. The landing was more than usually busy. Freight, passengers, and passengers numerous. The river was not slow to avail themselves of every thing in the way of business that offered.

POLICE COURT.—The police court yesterday George Washington Porter (whose arrest we mentioned yesterday), was fined \$10 and costs for disorderly conduct.

ANOTHER PARTY was arraigned for a disreputable conduct, confessed judgment, and was fined \$5 and costs for the same.

GEORGE FREY was arraigned for striking a deaf and dumb man. Much trouble was expended in getting an interpreter. One was found finally, and the evidence of the prosecutor was sustained, and after consulting about two hours with it, it was dismissed.

THE CAPITAL.—The *Wellburg Herald* advocates the location of the State Capital up there. He objects to Wheeling, because the whisky here is so bad, and because a man can't live for nothing.

WE DON'T THINK *Wellburg* would do for a Capital. Everything would be stolen, we expect, before a month. As for our whisky, we would like to know how the editor of the *Wellburg Herald* is so bad. We can only guess, when we reflect that he was down here last week on the grand jury. We suppose, also, it was then he tried to live for nothing. We are sorry he tried the good down here, and we are glad that keepers have quit long ago lodging itinerants without baggage unless they not only pay, but advance.

PROMOTED.—Capt. E. P. Hudson, who has for a long time been Acting Assistant Provost Marshal General of this State, has been recently promoted to a Brevet Major. In connection with the Major's many friends are pleased to hear of his success. We think the promotion could not have been more worthily bestowed.

THE BOARD OF TRADE.—As most of all our business men signed the paper, when it was circulated, advocating the organization of the Board of Trade, it will not be carried round further, but any one wishing to sign it can have an opportunity of doing so by calling at the store of Messrs. Booth, Hille & Co.

RUNAWAY.—Yesterday morning a team, attached to a wagon load of stone being unloaded at the "Old Block," ran away down Centre street. The driver was quickly checked at a distance from where they started, and no damage was done.

WATER PIPE BROKEN.—The water pipe on Main street, at the head of the hill, burst yesterday. The damage was repaired, and we suppose the stream now flows on serenely.

THE WEATHER.—Yesterday was rather milder than its predecessor of the week. The sun shone brightly at times, and it was pleasant out of doors without overcoats or wrappings.

A WORD TO SMOKERS.—As those, when they occur in winter, owing to high winds and other causes, are often very disastrous, we should take especial pains to guard against them. The means by which conflagrations are kindled are manifold, yet we propose briefly to notice but two—the cigar and pipe. Both of these are indulged in extensively, and both are prominent sources of modern conflagration. Smoking, while it allays excitement and promotes ease, teaches an individual to become careless to a criminal degree. The half-consumed cigar or smoldering pipe is cast aside without a moment's reflection upon the probable consequences of such an act. Tobacco contains niter, and, like "touch wood," it may continue ignited for hours. Too many of our fires are traced to this cause, and if people will smoke, it is a little caution and prudent. If a cigar, when carelessly thrown away, falls into a barrel of niter, it will, of course, be a source of danger. If a cigar is thrown into a field, and by a breeze carried into a hay stack or straw pile, it will, of course, be a source of danger. A smoker should never lay his pipe away or cast the stump of his cigar down without being certain that the last spark has been extinguished.

THIS ATTIENUE FOR SALE.—As will be remembered by all, the sale of the well known Athenian property taken place to-day at the Court House. This property is well known, both in character and location, and we expect a lively competition to take place at the sale.

THE BATEMAN CONCERNS.—As we announced yesterday the Bateman Troupe—which embraces a number of artists distinguished in the musical world—will perform at the Court House, on Monday next Monday and Tuesday evenings. We understand that a large number of seats for the concerts have already been taken. Those wishing to secure good seats had better call at J. H. Muller's music store soon.

MORE VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—Mr. Thomas O'Brien, real estate agent, offers for sale, as per advertisement in today's paper, two pieces of valuable city property upon easy terms. We can only add that they offer fine chances for investment.

COMMON SENSE.—We recommend the *Houndhound Balm* as equal in merit to any preparation in the market for Coughs, Hoarseness, &c. It is pleasant, safe and effective. Price 25 cents. Sold by J. H. Logan & Co., and Logan, List & Co.

GO TO STEIN BROTHERS, corner Main and Monroe sts., to see the largest stock of the best variety and lowest prices.

WHITE SHIRTS.—Wool shirts, undershirts and drawers, knit shirts, &c., very low, at wholesale or retail. Call soon at Stein Brothers, corner Main and Monroe sts.

BUCKWHEAT CAKES have made their appearance. They never attain their due excellence unless raised with the *Excelsior Baking Powder*. No one now disputes the superiority of this powder, most excellent article. J. H. Logan & Co., and Logan, List & Co., sole proprietors. Sold by dealers generally.

A LARGE assortment of handsome piece goods just received, which we are selling wholesale at eastern prices. Stein Brothers, corner Main and Monroe sts.

OUR stock of clothing is unsurpassed in quantity, variety or prices, to which we invite an examination. Stein Brothers, corner Main and Monroe.

Boots and Shoes. **BOOTS AND SHOES.**

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For Sale.

26 FEET FRONT OF LOT NO. 4, MAIN

HOUSE AND LOT NO. 14, ZANE STREET. **HOUSE AND LOT NO. 14, ZANE STREET.**

Valuable Property for Sale. **Valuable Property for Sale.**

THOMAS HORN BROOK. **THOMAS HORN BROOK.**

Building Lots, Store & Dwelling Houses. **Building Lots, Store & Dwelling Houses.**

Valuable Vineyard and Farm for Sale. **Valuable Vineyard and Farm for Sale.**

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Wines and Liquors.

H. ROSENTHAL & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in **Wholesale and Retail Dealers in**

Brandy, Wines, Gins, **Brandy, Wines, Gins,**

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